

**PATENT APPLICATION**  
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

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For: MULTIPLEXING VIDEO AND CONTROL SIGNALS ONTO UTP

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of two (2) months, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of August 16, 2000 to January 16, 2001.

A check for the statutory fee of \*\$140.00 is attached (\$55.00 having been paid previously with the Amendment filed November 17, 2000). Please charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or § 1.17 necessary to keep this application pending in the Patent and Trademark Office or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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